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10 June 1976

NOTE FOR THE DIRECTOR

FROM: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: Gifts

*Desk
to dictate
to Catto*

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You mentioned the telephone call you received from Chief of Protocol Catto about turning in gifts.

As the attached note indicates, Agency officers have been at work on this problem with some of Catto's staff and the problem is being worked. No totally-agreed solution is yet in hand, but no major difficulties are foreseen. We hope to wrap it up soon.

*— with Shirley
Temple Black.*


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Attachment
6/10 Note for [REDACTED]

10 June 1976

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NOTE FOR : 

SUBJECT : Gifts from Foreign Governments and Officials

1. The Office of Personnel, in conjunction with the Office of General Counsel and Central Cover Staff, has been working with representatives of the Office of the Chief of Protocol since December, 1975 to reach an agreement on the handling of gifts. The Persian rug case which arose in early April was handled as a separate matter and did not settle the broader question of procedures.

2. We have been advised that the State Legal Adviser has some reservations about the Agency's proposed procedures, which may not be consistent with State regulations on the subject. The Assistant Chief of Protocol is sending a letter to the Director of Personnel expressing this concern. If the only problem is a legal one, representatives of OGC will attempt to resolve the matter with the State Legal Adviser.


Assistant General Counsel

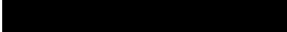
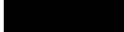
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NOTE FOR THE DIRECTOR

FROM: 

Recently you asked me to look into our "gifts policy." As I explained to you, the world of clandestine relationships with agents and foreign cultures argues for rather extensive use of gifting. But our current guidelines are a bit murky and as you say, we must be sure we are not vulnerable to Congressional or public charges of questionable practices.

I have discussed this with Bill Wells  and have asked  as the new Inspector General to look into the entire subject and give us advice on what our policy should be and how the current guidelines would best be modified. The study will take account of State Department guidelines as well as draft legislation prepared by Senator Proxmire.

The value of the study will be not only in establishing new policy but in rationalizing the end use of gifting when and where it is appropriate.

6-8
I got a call from Chief of Protocol today. He wonders where we stand in "turning in" gifts to CIA. I thought we had an archivist in office. I am not sure. We need to get him on whatever our policy is. Please ask someone to handle this.

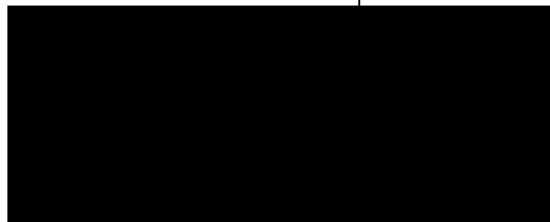
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DDA Remarks:

"Fred Janney,
 What is the current status of this, please?
 /s/Jack Blake"

DDA 76-3098 Mr. Catto, Chief of Protocol, Dept of State for
 Letter to/DCI, dtd 15 June 1976; Subject: Gifts from
 Foreign Governments and Officials

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